



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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**VIA FIRST CLASS MAIL**

Arthur Lee Talley, Treasurer  
Virginia 3<sup>rd</sup> District Republican Committee  
5807 Pleasant Woods Court  
Portsmouth, VA 23703

RE: MUR 6467

Dear Mr. Talley:

On April 13, 2011, the Federal Election Commission notified you of a complaint filed against the Virginia 3<sup>rd</sup> District Republican Committee ("Committee") and you, as treasurer, alleging violations of certain sections of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended ("Act") and underlying regulations. On October 4, 2011, based upon the information contained in the complaint, and information provided by you, the Commission decided to dismiss the complaint and closed its file in this matter.

The Commission encourages you and the Committee to review the General Counsel's Report, which sets forth the statutory and regulatory provisions considered by the Commission in this matter. A copy of the dispositive General Counsel's Report is enclosed for your information and future reference. The Commission reminds you and the Committee to take steps to ensure that your conduct is in compliance with 2 U.S.C. §§ 432(a) and 434(a), which require that each political committee have a treasurer who is responsible for signing FEC financial disclosure reports, and 11 C.F.R. § 110.1(b)(6), concerning the reporting requirements for in-kind contributions. For further information on the Act and Commission regulations, please refer to the Commission's website at [www.fec.gov](http://www.fec.gov) or contact the Commission's Public Information Division at (202) 694-1100.

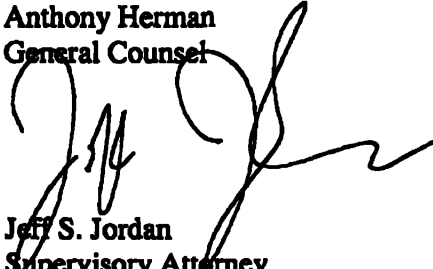
Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. See Statement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related Files, 68 Fed. Reg. 70,426 (Dec. 18, 2003).

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If you have any questions, please contact Kim Collins, the paralegal assigned to this matter, at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Anthony Herman  
General Counsel

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jeff S. Jordan", is written over the typed name and title.

BY: Jeff S. Jordan  
Supervisory Attorney  
Complaints Examination and  
Legal Administration

Enclosure  
General Counsel's Report

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